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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

We are writing to you in response to your Notice of Fee Deficiency dated January 11, 2005, a copy of which is enclosed. Enclosed herein please find a bank draft made payable to the Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks in the amount of \$25.00. As we are of the view that there are no excess claims, we are paying this fee under protest.

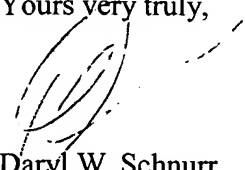
If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Yours very truly,

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